

{In Archive} Re: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

Avis.S.Onaga to: Julie Jordan

04/05/2011 02:55 PM

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YES, that's it! Thanks a whole bunch. Wow, I didn't even know that all these things were available online. I guess I'll have to add the EPA Administrative enforcement dockets homepage to my favorites. I might be able to find follow-up to some case files Jon had left in the pending drawer. Thanks again Julie! As Mary likes to say, you're the best!

Regards,

Avis

Jordan.Julie@epamail.epa.gov

04/05/2011 11:47 AM

To Avis.S.Onaga@hawaii.gov

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Subject Re: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

Wow this was painful to tease this apart as Region 4 appears to have taken a number of actions against Syngenta in the past, but I think this is it:

 $\underline{\text{http://yosemite.epa.gov/OA/RHC/EPAAdmin.nsf/Filings/A91A235004535D808525764F0066AA44/} \$File/CAFO.pdf$



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There was a September 8, 2008 press release by Region 4. The total fine was \$284,050 for the three complaints.

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04/05/2011 11:18 AM

To Avis.S.Onaga@hawaii.gov

Subject Re: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

How soon do you need it? I'm going to have to get it from someone there if I can't find it online.

From: Avis.S.Onaga@hawaii.gov

To: Julie Jordan/R9/USEPA/US@EPA

04/05/2011 02:08 PM Date:

Subject: Re: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

Sorry, it's not the one. The one I'm looking for was done by Region 4 Atlanta--they consolidated the three separate complaints into one. The fine was for \$17,550. It was for WPS violations on Kauai and it was related to Vector Tobacco.

Regards,

Avis

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To Avis.S.Onaga@hawaii.gov

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Subject Re: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

Is this what you are looking for:

http://www.epa.gov/compliance/resources/cases/civil/fifra/syngenta.html

From: <u>Avis.S.Onaga@hawaii.gov</u>

To: Julie Jordan/R9/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 04/05/2011 01:34 PM

Subject: Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO

Hi, Julie,

I was wondering if you could send me a copy of the Syngenta Seeds, Inc. CAFO for the attached enforcement action. I have a huge UIPA request and Jon didn't include a copy of the enforcement action by EPA in the case file.

I think something is going on on Kauai again regarding the corn companies. We were asked to attend a meeting with Dee Morikawa, State representative for the Waimea district on Kauai where we had all those Waimea Canyon complaints. She wanted to know what we did and how we monitored them. A few days before the meeting, we had a UIPA request from an attorney's office for all the complaint files filed against Syngenta and Dow Agrosciences. This same firm had asked us several months ago for the complaint files against Pioneer on Kauai.

Regards,

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